

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY LISBON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 924

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

AMCONSUL HONG KONG

AMCONSUL LOURENCO MARQUES

AMCONSUL LUANDA

USLO PEKING

AMCONSUL SURABAYA

AMCONSUL OPORTO

AMCONSUL PONTA DELGADA

C O N F I D E N T I A L LISBON 4751

C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (E.O. SHUD BE GDS VICE N/A)

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV, PO, PT, MC

SUBJ: LISBON SELECTS NEW GOVERNORS FOR TIMOR AND MACAO

1. OCT 29 MEETING OF PORTUGUESE COUNCIL OF STATE APPROVED  
NOMINATION OF ARTILLERY MAJOR JOSE EDUARDO MARTINHO GARCIA  
LEANDRO AS GOVERNOR OF MACAO, AND LTCOL MARIO LEMOS PIRES AS  
GOVERNOR OF TIMOR.

2. PIRES, PERSONALLY KNOWN TO LISBON DAO, HAS RECENTLY CON-  
FIDED GENERAL DISAPPOINTMENT WITH ORIENTATION OF NEW  
GOP POLICIES AND AT ONE POINT BELIEVED HE WOULD BE APPOINTED  
GOVERNOR OF MACAU. HE IS 44 YEARS OLD AND HAS SERVED IN THE  
ARMY SINCE 1948. PIRES GRADUATED IN TOP 5 PERCENT OF HIS 72-73  
CLASS AT FT LEAVENWORTH STAFF COLLEGE, IS PRO-US AND  
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POLITICALLY MODERATE.

3. ONLY INFO EMBASSY HAS ON MAJOR LEANDRO IS THAT HE WAS  
BORN IN ANGOLA AND SERVED IN PORTUGUESE GUINEA.  
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